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Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

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ii. ☐ Other

iii. ☒ Enclosed

iv. ☒ Amendment/Reply

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vi. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

vii. ☐ Other

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c. ☐ Other enclosed

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Signature: Douglas S. Johnson

Date: June 16, 2005

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. 1.17

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 1810.00

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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Application Type	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	150	75	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES	Extra Claims		Fee Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25	
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100	
Multiple dependent claims	360	180	
Total Claims			
HP = Highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 20			
Indep. Claims			
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If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequences or computer listings under 37 C.F.R. 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a).

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4. OTHER FEES

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (an small entity discount)

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